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- (1) Petition fee
- (2) Proper reply
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee which is required for all international applications having an international filing date before June 8, 1995; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

Small entity - fee \$750.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.

Other than small entity - fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (37 CFR 1.17(m))

2. Proper reply

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